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House File 279

February 14, 1947.  
County and Township Affairs.

By KLEMESRUD, STEINBERG,  
WALTER of Pottawattamie.

## A BILL FOR

An Act to amend chapter two hundred twenty-four (224)  
Code 1946, relating to drug addicts and those  
addicted to intoxicating liquors.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

- 1 Section 1. Chapter two hundred twenty-four (224)
- 2 Code 1946, is amended by adding the following:
- 3 "Any assistance furnished under this chapter
- 4 shall be and constitute a lien on any real estate owned
- 5 by the person committed to such institution or owned
- 6 by either the husband or wife of such person.
- 7 The Auditor of each county shall keep an
- 8 accurate account of the cost of the maintenance of
- 9 any patient kept in any institution as provided for in
- 10 this chapter and keep an index of the names of the
- 11 persons committed from such county and the indexing and
- 12 the record of the account of such patients in the office
- 13 of the county auditor shall constitute notice of such lien".

### EXPLANATION OF H. F. 279

This act will establish a lien for assistance furnished an inebriate or drug addict similar to the lien created for assistance to the insane.